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TAGS: EAID, LE, US

SUBJECT: WFP/LEBANON 438 EXP

REF: STAE 154024

1. WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT LEBANESE AUTHORITIES INVOLVED HAVE INVESTIGATED RETAIL SALES AND IDENTIFIED WFP BENEFICIARY WHO SOLD VEGOIL TO RETAIL OUTLETS. GOL AUTHORITIES HAVE CONFIRMED TO WFP/BEIRUT REPRESENTATIVE THAT GUILTY BENEFICIARY HAS BEEN STRICKEN FROM ROLLS AND WILL RECEIVE NO FURTHER WFP FOODSTUFFS. SAME OFFICIALS HAVE INFORMED WFP/BEIRUT THAT LEGAL ACTION WILL BE TAKEN AGAINST RETAIL OUTLETS SELLING WFP COMMODITIES IN FUTURE. WE UNDERSTAND THAT WFP/BEIRUT SENT LETTER TO THIS EFFECT TO FRITZ PRONK OF WFP/ROME ON JUNE 17, 1975.

2. OF RELATED INTEREST IS WFP/BEIRUT DISCOVERY THAT, IN ADDITION TO ACTUAL US-SUPPLIED VEGOIL FOUND IN TWO SUPERMARKETS, VEGOIL CANS OF APPARENT LEBANESE MANUFACTURE WERE ON SALE. LABELS ON THESE CANS BEAR RESEMBLANCE TO US GALLON CANS IN QUESTION. WFP/BEIRUT HAS POUCHED SAMPLE OF THIS CONTAINER.GODLEY

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